

**TOWN OF NORTHFIELD  
BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
Budget Meeting #3  
Minutes of December 11, 2006**

Chairman Wallace opened the budget workshop immediately following adjournment of the regular Board meeting. Also present were Selectmen Johnson, LeClair, Adams and Manager Allard. Attending from the public were Robert Tucker and Gregg Sanders.

In reviewing the operating budget, the Board asked the Manager to contact Green Mountain Transit to get specific information from them regarding the services they provide for Northfield; more information is requested regarding the services that Northfield Police Department provide to adjacent towns and information to justify our continued participation in the START/SHARP program.

In regards to the Senior Center request for additional funding, the members of the Board agreed they would include a special article asking for an addition \$15,000 to be voted on by Australian ballot in March for the annual meeting.

Selectmen Adams and LeClair will meet with the Historical Society and Brown Public Library to discuss their budget needs.

While reviewing the capital budget, the members of the Board requested individual lines for Fire Department "pumper" trucks be combined into one line and fund same at \$30,000. Items questioned in the Police Department capital budget included one for the miles on each cruiser; for the ambulance department, they would like to look at all the options for replacing one ambulance and the Recreation capital budget has funds for a new mower/tractor and they would like details for that purchase.

A motion was made by Selectman Johnson at 8:00p.m. to adjourn, seconded by Selectman LeClair. So moved.

Respectfully submitted.

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